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MEMORANDUM

TO: Chiefs of Municipal Police and Fire Departments

FROM: Paul Dietl, Chief Human Resources Officer *Paul Dietl*

DATE: November 9, 2007

SUBJECT: The 2007 Revised Initial Medical and Physical Fitness Standards for Municipal Public Safety Personnel

I am pleased to inform you that, effective September 7, 2007, the Human Resources Division (HRD) has promulgated The 2007 Revised Regulations for the Initial Medical and Physical Fitness Standards for Municipal Public Safety Personnel.

The revisions focused on the diabetes mellitus category under the endocrine and metabolic system for police officer candidates, and the standards were revised to incorporate the latest reviews from medical professionals.

Please share this notice with your appointing authorities and with the physicians who conduct medical examinations for your candidates. Copies of the updated regulations, the revised Physician's Guide to Conducting Medical Examinations, and the Medical Examination Form are available by accessing the Medical and Physical Fitness Standards hyperlink at our website: <http://www.mass.gov/civilservice>

Should you have any questions, please contact Vivian W. Lee, Assistant Director, Civil Service/Medical Standards Program, at (617) 727-3777, extension 29757.

Thank you for your continued support and cooperation.